

## Samantha Kathleen Dravis

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Republican Attorneys General Association

Salary: (b) (6)

Washington DC

*Policy Director/General Counsel*

2015-Present

- Brief attorneys general and advise their staffs on state and federal policy issues, multistate litigation, amicus brief requests, coordinate coalition responses and messaging
- Manage all compliance and legal issues for organization
- Serve as President of affiliated 501(c)(4) organization, Rule of Law Defense Fund

#### Freedom Partners Chamber of Commerce

Salary: (b) (6)

Arlington, VA

*Legal Counsel*

2013-2015

- Conduct due diligence, ensure compliance with FEC rules and IRS regulations for tax exempt organization
- Approve broadcast television and digital advertisements, grassroots lobbying and other issue advocacy activity
- Write and execute contracts, agreements, policies and training materials for organization
- Advise on public policy initiatives and priorities for organization

#### Taft, Stettinius & Hollister LLP

Salary: (b) (6)

Indianapolis, IN

*Associate Attorney*

2012-2013

- Represented clients in firm's litigation and intellectual property practice groups
- Write briefs, pleadings and client memos; attend trials and depositions; served as Summer Associate in 2011

#### Romney for President 2012

Lansing, MI

*Michigan Election Day Operations Director*

2012

- Managed all election day operations in Michigan; supervised high profile projects in other states, including a major ballot duplication process in Palm Beach, Fla.
- Advised Romney for President headquarters on state election law issues
- Recruited, trained, and managed a team of hundreds of volunteer attorneys and staff for election day
- Oversaw the preparation of election day and post-election day litigation plans and strategies

#### The White House

Washington, DC

*Associate Director, Office of Political Affairs*

2007-2008

- Drafted briefings and memos for the President, First Lady, Vice President, and other senior White House officials
- Conducted strategic research on legislative and domestic policy issues for Director
- Assisted the President's personnel office with appointments to Presidential boards and commissions
- Planned and executed State Arrival of Pope Benedict XVI, other dignitaries with White House Social Office

#### John McCain for President 2008

Arlington, VA

*Regional Political Coordinator and Director of Surrogate Operations*

2007

- Developed grassroots political organization and organized delegate recruitment in California, Nevada and Utah
- Worked with campaign attorneys to facilitate placement of John McCain on the ballot in key primary states

#### Office of U.S. Representative Daniel Lungren (R-CA)

Washington, DC

*Executive Assistant/Legislative Assistant*

2006-2007

- Manage legislative portfolio and advise Congressman on issues including national defense, social security and labor issues
- Handled Congressman's calendar, speaking engagements, correspondence, and other administrative matters

### EDUCATION

#### University of Notre Dame Law School

Notre Dame, IN

*Juris Doctor, cum laude*

May 2012

Executive Solicitation Editor, *The Notre Dame Journal of Law, Ethics, and Public Policy*; Legal Internships: Pacific Legal Foundation; U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan; U.S. Attorney for the District of Kansas

#### University of Kansas

Lawrence, KS

*Bachelor of Arts, Political Science*

May 2005

James and Alice Phelps Memorial Scholarship Recipient; Intern, Office of U.S. Senator Sam Brownback (R-KS)